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GRAIN OF CORN CAUSES DEATH OF LITTLE CHILD.

De Funiak, Fla., Dec. 15.—The 16 months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. Duke is dead from the effects of a grain of corn lodged in her wind-pipe. All efforts to extricate the kernel failed.

Let us show you some pretty things for Xmas presents. Vaughn & Kendrick.

LEE SCHOOL ITEMS

Health of this community is good at present.

Our people are all planning now for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Bryant spent the week end with Mrs. Bryant's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Dyess spent Saturday night with Mrs. Dyess's sister, Mrs. Mamie Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Gibbs, of Atlanta, Ga., spent last Friday and Saturday with Mrs. R. E. Lee.

Miss Verna Mae Helms and Miss Eunice Davidson spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Helms at Bason.

Miss Zedie Bowers spent Sunday with Miss Ollie Bowden. We wish The Clipper much success.

A Pupil.

Give him a belt with his initials on it, you will find this at.

Vaughn & Kendrick.

Wave Notes in 10 cent books at the Clipper Office.

103 YEARS AGO ALABAMA BECAME A STATE.

One hundred and three years ago, last Thursday, December 14th, Alabama was admitted into the Union after having been a territory for two years.

During the century and three years the great state has taken first rank in many ways; it possesses the greatest potential water power of any state in the Union, with enough harness and unharnessed power to light the cities of half the south, east of the Mississippi river. The state boasts a third in the production of coal and second in the production of graphite. Two of the greatest higher institutions of learning in the southland, the University of Alabama and the Alabama Polytechnic Institute are a part of the educational achievements of the century. "Alabama" an Indian word, means "thicket gatherers."

Below is some very interesting information, compiled by Peter A. Brannon of the department of Archives and the University of Alabama.

1. Alabama was the second state going into the Union.

2. Alabama was a territory a shorter time than any other one of the American Union States.

3. Alabama was named for its principal river.

4. Alabama has 2,345,716 people.

5. Alabama's native born population is 99.99 per cent.

6. Alabama's bank resources are \$254,688,451.55.

7. Alabama has 252 banks.

8. Alabama's taxable property is valued at \$954,602,221.00.

9. Alabama ranks third in the United States in the production of iron ore.

10. Alabama ranks second in the United States in the production of graphite.

11. Alabama has 256,000 farms.

12. Alabama has 20,000,000 acres in farm lands.

13. Alabama's railroad mileage is 3,249.

14. Alabama had 396,949 children in the elementary schools last year.

15. Alabama's educational and benevolent institutions received from the state this year \$7,046,083.00.

16. Alabama's general receipts to the treasury for the year 1920-21 was \$13,390,728.63.

17. Alabama has the greatest potential water power of any state in the Union," so says Babson.

18. "Alabama shows a great percentage of water power development in the past few years than any other state in the Union"—Babson.

19. "Alabama has enough water power to light the cities within the radius as far as New Orleans"—Babson.

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Veterans Perform Like Youngsters

Nine Studebaker Big Six Touring Cars, with a total of one million miles to their credit, recently participated in a contemporary reliability contest conducted by the Studebaker dealer at Los Angeles.

Altogether with perfect record except two—one had dirt in the gasoline pipe, the other required a slight adjustment of brakes. This is the most convincing demonstration of motor car reliability of which we know.

The run was from Los Angeles to The Bear Valley and return—229 miles—of which 99 were on steep, rough mountain roads that necessitated stunts in every part. Yet the Big Sixes reached every checking station on time.

One of these old veterans has piled up the amazing total of 351,000 miles of practically uninterrupted service of two trips daily.

Motorcar with ornamental radiator cap. Front and rear bumpers. Roll-over, five-spoke wheels. Automatic windshield wiper. Country touring car with long extension cord. Removable top. Power windows. Power door locks. Power steering. Power brakes. Power transmission. And complete standard in the left front door. Shock absorbers.

Another has 250,000 miles to its credit, and so on.

No such group of cars was ever before assembled for such a strenuous proof of endurance. That sturdy in construction, ever one of the most difficult of Southern California's mountain roads, was an expression of confidence of the owners in Studebaker overstanding goodness.

The dependability of the Big Six Touring Cars is no mere boast. Country touring car with long extension cord. Removable top. Power windows. Power door locks. Power steering. Power brakes. Power transmission. And complete standard in the left front door. Shock absorbers.

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Xmas Greetings--

TO OUR FRIENDS AND PATRONS:

"THIS CHRISTMAS TIME—THE SEASON OF GOOD CHEER AND SANTA CLAUSES—AND WE WANT TO TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY OF EXTENDING OUR HEARTIEST GREETINGS AND TO WISH YOU A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR.

AND, TOO, MAY WE SAY A WORD OF THANKS FOR THE BUSINESS YOU HAVE SO KINDLY TURNED OUR WAY DURING 1922? THIS BUSINESS HAS BEEN SINCERELY APPRECIATED, AND WE TRUST IT HAS BEEN SO HANDLED AS TO JUSTIFY A CONTINUANCE OF OUR PAST PLEASANT RELATIONS.

BUT NOW—AT THIS YULETIDE SEASON—WE WISH YOU AND YOURS A WONDERFULLY HAPPY CHRISTMAS, AND A 1923 FILLED WITH JOY, PROSPERITY AND PLENTY.

CORDIALLY YOURS,

Smith Brothers

ELBA, ALABAMA.

Farmers and Merchants National Bank

TROY, ALABAMA.

CONDENSED FROM THE REPORT TO THE COMPTROLLER AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, SEPTEMBER 15TH, 1922.

Resources.	
Loans and Discounts	\$966,564.35
Overdrafts	220.00
U. S. Bonds	128,600.00
Bonds and Securities	128,525.55
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	15,000.00
CASH	
In Vault and Due from Banks and U. S. Treas.	\$313,959.60
U. S. Liberty Loan and Victory Bonds	276,406.30
	590,365.90
	\$1,829,417.86
Liabilities	
Capital Stock	\$150,000.00
Surplus	150,000.00
Undivided Profits	69,068.85
Circulation	128,600.00
Dividends Unpaid	12,036.00
DEPOSITS	1,319,713.21
Re-Discounts	None
Bills Payable	None
	\$1,829,417.86

The greatest builders in the world are those who build character. Men have built houses, roads and temples that have lasted for generations, empires that lasted for centuries, but those who build character fabricate something that will last to eternity.

Build into your character the foundation of industry, efficiency and economy. With these success is certain. Wholehearted industry brings out the best that is in us and drives out evil.

By virtue of a writ of Venditioni Exponas issued out of the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Coffee County, State of Alabama, and to me directed, whereby I am commanded to sell the lands herein described to satisfy a judgment recently obtained against J. W. Lewis, in favor of W. B. Perkins, I will sell the following property, to-wit:

One lot of land, together with the buildings thereon, upon which the material furnished was used, said lot being described as follows: Beginning at the West side of the Lee land on the North side of Lollie Street, in the Town of Elba, Alabama, and running West 93 feet, thence North 500 feet, more or less, to a ditch which is the dividing line between said lot and D. D. Knight property; thence East along said ditch 93 feet; thence South 500 feet, more or less, to starting point, said lot being the lot purchased from W. J. Ballard and wife by the defendant, situated in the Town of Elba, Alabama.

Therefore, according to said command, I will sell, at public outcry, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the above named J. W. Lewis, in and to the above described property, on MONDAY, the 25th day of December, 1922, during the legal hours of sale, at the Court House door in Elba, Alabama, in said County.

Dated this 27th day of November, 1922.

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states. With all deference to southern historians, the charge that Mr. Lincoln caused the Civil War is not sustained by the facts of history recorded more than 50 years ago. I am sure that Mr. Lincoln would not have been so quick to start the war if he had known the truth of history go to prove that Mr. Lincoln did not inaugurate the Civil War."

START THE NEW YEAR RIGHT.

Enter the Campbell Institute and be ready for a good position when the busy season comes. \$20 per month pays for room and board and \$65 pays for a life scholarship. Write for large, illustrated, free catalog. Enrollment for our mid-winter term begins Monday, January 1st, 1923.

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DOTHAN, ALABAMA.

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A Summers Bug-gy for Christmas.
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AN OPPORTUNITY YOU CAN'T AFFORD TO PASS UP.

Be a Doctor of Chiropractic and earn from FIVE to FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS per annum. We have a most ideal location in the SOUTH in a city and suburbs of almost FOUR HUNDRED THOUSAND population. Your chance to EARN while you LEARN.

We are offering \$500.00 three year course, including X-Ray, Instruction and Practice to be given in 18 months for only \$250.00 cash, if you enroll before January 1st, 1923. Only one student accepted from each county at this time. Winter Semester open January 2nd, 1923. Write at once for New annual catalogue.

SOUTHERN COLLEGE OF CHIROPRACTIC, Inc.,
Chamber of Commerce Building,
ATLANTA, GEORGIA.



Christmas is a time of peace, cheerfulness and good will.

Those who are not at peace with the world; those who fail to find cheer; those who lack the spirit of good will—are usually those who are in financial distress.

They may have spent their money as it came, instead of putting it in a place where they have carried it about, or hidden it, or been robbed.

Bring your cash surplus to our bank and start your account now. Let this Christmas be an eventful day in your life.

ELBA BANK & TRUST COMPANY

Y. W. RAINIER, President—J. D. AMOS, Active V. President
O. S. RAINIER, Cashier—J. L. MIXSON, Asst. Cashier.
ELBA, ALABAMA.

"Good Ole Santa"

HAS JUST COME TO US WITH A "GREAT BIG BAG" FULL OF WELL ASSORTED CHRISTMAS THINGS FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY. HE WAS EXTREMELY GOOD TO US THIS XMAS, SUPPLYING US WITH MANY THINGS FOR OUR CUSTOMERS. SO DON'T WAIT UNTIL THE LAST MOMENT TO DO YOUR SHOPPING, BUT COME EARLY AND LET US SUGGEST AND SHOW YOU SOMETHING THAT WILL PLEASE YOU AND THE RECEIVER. AT A PRICE THAT WILL GIVE YOUR POCKET BOOK A XMAS SMILE.

BELOW WE GIVE YOU A FEW TIMELY SUGGESTIONS:

SOMETHING "SHE" WOULD APPRECIATE

A PRETTY SHAWL
NICE SCARF
LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS
In Xmas Boxes
PAIR SILK HOSE
SILK AND WOOL HOSE
SILK TRIMMED PETTICOAT
TABLE LINEN.
With Napkins to Match
TURKISH TOWELS
A circular just published
FANCY GARTERS
In Xmas Boxes
BEAUTIFUL BEADS
In all colors.
9X12 AXMINSTER SEAM-
LESS RUG
BED ROOM SHOES
SWEATERS—All Kinds.

SOMETHING "HE" WOULD APPRECIATE

BATH ROBE
PAJAMAS
NIGHT SHIRTS
NIGHT HAT
PRETTY TIE
BELT with Initial Buckle
LINEN HANDKERCHIEF
SILK HOSE
SILK AND WOOL HOSE
A PRETTY SHIRT
PAIR OF DRESS GLOVES
SOX SUPPORTERS
In Xmas Boxes

WITH THE ARRIVAL OF THE "YULETIDE" WE ARE BROUGHT FORBID TO REALIZE OUR RELATION, OUR GRATITUDE AND OBLIGATION TO OUR NEIGHBORS AND FRIENDS. WE FEEL THAT FRIENDLY BUSINESS IS THE BEST BUSINESS AND THAT THE FEELING OF FRIENDSHIP AND CONFIDENCE OF OUR CUSTOMERS IS OUR MOST VALUABLE ASSET. AS IT HAS ENABLED US TO BUILD UP A BUSINESS FOR WHICH WE ARE TRULY GRATEFUL. WE THANK YOU FOR YOUR LOYAL COOPERATION DURING THE PAST YEAR AND ASSURE YOU THAT WE DESIRE AT ALL TIMES TO SERVE YOU WITH THE BEST OF EVERYTHING IN OUR LINES.

MAY A "MERRY CHRISTMAS" BE YOURS.

Vaughn & Kendrick

"LET US SOLVE YOUR XMAS PROBLEMS."

SAME OLD STAND SOUTH SIDE SQUARE—ELBA, ALABAMA

Reinstate Now!

Former W. O. W. Members
Attention! Reinstate Now!

UNTIL JANUARY 1, 1923, YOU CAN REINSTATE WITHOUT ANY COST WHATSOEVER. THE RATES ARE SOUND AND ESTABLISHED SO THAT NO SHAME WILL EVER BE NECESSARY. THE YEARLY DIVIDEND MAKES THE RATES PRACTICALLY THE SAME AS THE OLD RATES.

Tuberculosis Sanitarium Being Built—Treatment FREE

TO ANY MEMBER. THERE ARE NO STRINGS TO THIS AS IT IS FOR ALL W. O. W. AND WILL BE LARGE ENOUGH FOR ALL THAT NEED TREATMENT

BEGINNING MARCH 1, 1923, THE SOCIETY WILL LOAN MONEY TO ANY MEMBER ON HIS POLICY OR ANY PROPERTY, PERSONAL OR REAL ESTATE.

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BLAIR GETS SENTENCE OF TWENTY-FIVE YRS. INRIGHT INJURED IN FORD TRUCK WRECK

Andalusia, Ala., Dec. 22.—After an all-night deliberation the jury in the case of Robert Blair, charged with murder, found him guilty of second degree murder and fixed his punishment at 25 years in the penitentiary, early yesterday morning. A great deal of speed was made late yesterday and last night in order to give the case to the jury at 11 o'clock. A verdict was reached at 6:30 o'clock this morning. Judge Arthur B. Foster passed sentence on both Blair and Doc Moulton, whose punishments were 25 and 15 years, respectively, at 10 o'clock yesterday morning, after which court adjourned until the next regular session.

It could be seen that the defendant Blair was deeply affected as the verdict was read. He is married and has several children, one of whom is an infant child. Counsel for the defense took an appeal to the State Supreme Court in both the Blair and Moulton cases, following the passing of the sentence, which was suspended pending a hearing in the higher court.

Levi Maloy, also charged with murder in the first degree as an alleged accessory in the difficultly which brought about the death of Otis Kendrick, will not face trial until the next term of court, it was decided today.

Court records have been broken in both these cases which have consumed a greater part of two weeks session with regard to the amount of testimony taken, number of witnesses, and precision in dispatching the cases, it is generally conceded. Large numbers of interested persons from the counties have been here during a greater part of the trials to say nothing of more than 100 witnesses.

The case of Blair was entered Monday afternoon and continued through last night. Much of the testimony was similar to that brought out in the Moulton case, as regards important facts. A plea of insanity and self-defense was made by the defendants while the state contended that the motive which prompted them to follow Kendrick was to do him violent bodily harm.

SELLERS BOY KILLED WHILE FIRING ANVILS

Sellers, Ala., Dec. 25.—Horace Maddox, aged nineteen years, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Maddox, was instantly killed here Christmas morning at 10:20 o'clock while firing anvils in the town's streets. The funeral service will take place from the residence of a brother at Pine Level Tuesday morning between ten and eleven o'clock. Young Maddox, in company with others, had been firing the anvils for some time, and as they were disappointed at the noise made by the explosion which they did not regard as resounding enough, the idea was advanced that in addition to the anvil space being filled with powder, that the insertion of a large railroad nut between the anvils filled with powder would help.

The nut was duly inserted and filled with powder and the anvil touched off. The nut exploded into four quarters, one striking Maddox in the neck severing an artery and he died before assistance could be rendered. One part of the nut cut through a garage while the other two parts narrowly missed spectators.

Miss Sallie Collier has been spending the holidays with relatives in Birmingham.

Mr. Frank Buck, of Andalusia, spent Christmas with his mother here.

Field Fence—don't buy until you see ours and get our prices. Bonneau-Jeter Hardware Co.

Mr. Griffin McGinty, of Opelika, was a visitor at Elba Sunday and Monday.

Mr. Ogar Johnson, of Brundidge, was a visitor at Elba Monday.

Miss Foy Parker, of Dothan, spent the holidays with relatives at Elba.

Nearest line of mens ties in all styles and colors at Vaughn & Kendrick.

Mrs. Olin Starg and little daughter, of Jacksonville, Fla., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kendrick left Sunday for Fayette where they will visit Mrs. Kendrick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Barnes.

Mr. Charles R. Davis, warden at Flat Top mines, spent Wednesday and Thursday in Elba the guest of his parents. Mr. Davis has many friends at Elba and throughout the county who are always glad to see him.

CHRISTMAS PASSES QUIETLY HERE.

So far as we have been able to learn not a single accident occurred at Elba to mar the pleasure of the Christmas holidays. The day was very quiet in town, practically all business places being closed for the day.

Had it not been for the prevalence of fireworks, which were exploded during Saturday night, Monday and Tuesday night, one would not have known that it was Christmas. No public celebration was staged here.

Lawrence Ward, of Opp, was a visitor here Monday.

Misses Clara and Gladys Free are visiting Mrs. Frank Price this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Covington visited relatives in Kingston during the holidays.

If its Dry Goods, we have it, Vaughn & Kendrick.

Miss Nettie Flournoy is spending the holidays with relatives at Elba.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Mullins and children spent Sunday with relatives at Brundidge.

Mr. J. W. Talley has returned from New Orleans, where he spent several days with his daughter. He reports a most enjoyable trip.

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With Elba Churches

BAPTIST CHURCH
Preaching 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Chas. H. Gorman, Pastor.
Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Grover C. Bowden, Supt.

There will be no preaching services next Sunday morning. The pastor will attend the Fifth Sunday meeting at Zion Chapel and preach there at 11 o'clock.

The weekly Church Bulletin will be distributed and the regular morning Church offering will be taken at Sunday School.

The pastor will preach at New Year Service at the regular evening hour. Special music is being arranged for the evening service.

The W. M. U. week of prayer begins next Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock. There will be daily meetings of the W. M. U. and daily programs will be rendered each afternoon of next week with the exception of Saturday afternoon.

The ladies of the Church are urged to attend these services and the ladies of the town are also invited to attend.

Every body is cordially invited to attend all the services of the Church. Strangers will find a hearty welcome awaiting them.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Meeting now at School House Auditorium. Sunday School and communion service every Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock.

Come and be with us. Every member not only a member but a worker. We want you. We need you. Come and bring your children with you. You can help us, we can help you.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. J. F. Pharr, Pastor.
Preaching every fourth Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. F. A. Symons, Supt.

METHODIST CHURCH

Preaching every Sunday, at 11:00 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. F. M. Lowrey, Pastor.
Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Chas. L. Rowe, Supt.

Epworth League, Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock.
Prayer Service, Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock.
Woman's Missionary Society, Monday, 8:00 P. M.

There will be a meeting of the stewards of Ham's School house, Windham's, and Liberty at the Methodist church on Saturday morning at 11 o'clock. Dr. W. P. Hurt, presiding elder of the Troy district has called this meeting, and urges not only the stewards but the Sunday School superintendents as well as the trustees to be present at the first meeting of this new charge, so as to begin the work of the year intelligently, and at once.

Both services will be conducted by Dr. Hurt Sunday at the Elba Methodist Church. Those who have not heard Dr. Hurt have in store for them a great day for next Sunday; those who have heard him realize this and will not fail to be present. There is no more eloquent preacher in the conference than Dr. Hurt. Hear him and start the new year right.

The men who missed the MEN'S CLASS in Sunday School on last Sunday, failed to hear one of the most intelligent and beautiful expositions of the Christmas lesson. It is a privilege not had by a great many to have a teacher such as our class has, and the men who do not take advantage of attending this class every Sunday under all kinds of adverse circumstances, such as the weather

NEW YEAR GREETINGS

MAY HAPPINESS AND PROSPERITY be your portion in 1923

Even as the ties of love and friendship are strengthened during the holiday season, so may our business associations grow in mutual accord and confidence.

And our sincerest wish that the blessing of happiness and prosperity may continue to rest upon you.

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MR. W. A. CAPSHAW ISSUES STATEMENT ABOUT MILL.

The Clipper calls its readers attention to an advertisement in today's paper from Mr. W. A. Capshaw, owner and operator of the hardwood mill in West Elba. A report has been circulated to the effect that Mr. Capshaw was not paying a fair price for dogwood, and that his profit was too great on the products turned out at his mill.

The effect of the false report about the price paid for timber is that farmers are refusing to bring in timber, and unless a change is brought about, Mr. Capshaw will move his mill to another point. It is not our policy in calling attention to his adv to go into detail about his business affairs. We will say however, that Mr. Capshaw is paying as much for dogwood here, as is being paid by other mills at points nearby Elba.

As to the amount of profit he makes on his output, that is a matter which does not concern us. Every man is entitled to a reasonable profit for his labors, and after looking over the prices paid for blocks, such as are being paid by Mr. Capshaw we do not see how he could make more than a small profit.

We would like to see the mill run on for a year or so, and we believe there is that much dogwood within reach of the mill, but it cannot run unless the millers who have the timber will cut it and bring it in. Mr. Capshaw makes a plain statement of the facts in his adv.

Read it.

or and "That Tired Feeling" can often, does himself and family a great injustice. Lets take this as a parting word when we meet our friends on the street. "I'll see you at Sunday School next Sunday."

Did you ever realize what the midweek prayer meeting offered to your hungry soul? It is the time when we get to know each other, not as we ought to be, but as we really are—our plain blunt selves, with sorrows and joys and pains and heartaches, all of which we bring to the prayer meeting. Start this year and bring your wives and children and sweethearts to prayer meeting.

There will be a 1923 choir organized as soon as possible, and steps will be taken toward this at once.

The first quarterly conference for the Elba Church will be held Monday, Jan. 1st, and all officers of the church are expected to be there. This includes Sunday School Superintendents, Epworth League presidents, Woman's Missionary presidents, Church trustees as well as the stewards.

BEAUTIFUL CANTATA AT BAPTIST CHURCH

One of the most delightful musical programs ever witnessed by Elba people was rendered on last Sunday night at the Baptist Church. It was a sacred Cantata, "The Prince of Peace," and was under the able direction of Mrs. Steve Lee.

The program consisted of a number of solos, duets, quartets, readings and choruses. Every number on the program was well rendered and the entire program was greatly enjoyed by the large congregation. Services at the Methodist Church were called off for the night, and the Methodist as well as all other denominations joined in witnessing the program.

The following program has been arranged for the fifth Sunday meeting, December 31st, at Zion Chapel:

10:00 A. M.—Devotional—Rev. C. O. Helms.

10:15 A. M.—"Our Missionary Obligation."—Rev. Luther Gaines.

10:30 A. M.—"The Best Method for Financing the Church."—A. R. Moseley.

Open discussion.

11:30 A. M.—Sermon—Rev. Chas. H. Gorman.

Dinner.

1:15 P. M.—Devotional—Rev. J. E. Plant.

1:30 P. M.—"Shall We Have A Coffee County Baptist Sunday School Association?"—Noble Y. Beall.

2:00 P. M.—"The Sunday School As A Church Asset."—Grover C. Bowden.

Miscellaneous business.

CHRISTMAS FOOT BALL GAME.

A foot ball game was staged on the local High School grounds Christmas day between a team composed mostly of college boys and a team of local High School Boys. The score was 21 to 0 in favor of the High School boys. The game was witnessed by a good crowd of local enthusiasts, who enjoyed watching two or three fellows who had never played a game. Nobody was seriously hurt, but of course many felt their age next day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Law, of Pensacola, Fla., are spending a few days with relatives at Elba.

LOST—One Bar Pin between Old town and New town. Finder will please return same to Clipper office and receive reward.

Miss Elizabeth Sanders, of the Woman's College at Montgomery, is spending the holidays with relatives at Elba.

You can get Eight Bars of Soap for a Quarter at Vaughn & Kendrick.

Mr. Jim Weldon, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Troy hospital, returned to his home Sunday. His friends are glad to have him at home again.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Lanier and children, of Hartford, were guests of relatives at Elba the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Alford, of Chipley, Fla., spent several days here this week with relatives.

Mrs. Lawrence Ward and children, of Opp, have been spending several days with Mrs. A. D. Donaldson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Chambliss, of Montgomery, were visitors to Elba relatives during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hammond, of Dothan, came over Saturday night for a visit to relatives. Mr. Hammond reported that Mrs. Hammond will spend the remainder of the week here.

Messrs Pierre Lee, Dwight Mason, Melvin Livings France, Farris, John Mason, Kinney and Charlie Ben Ellis, students at the University of Alabama, are spending the holidays with relatives at Elba.

We have just received a car load of Field fence in all heights on a conversation with Bonneau-Jeter Hardware Co.

Mis Lois Johnson, of Opp, is the guest of relatives here this week.